IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Appln. of: Etienne Chapelain et al.

Appln. No.: 10/520,030 Examiner: George D.

Spisich

Filed: March 9, 2006 Art Unit: 3616

For: A STEERING WHEEL Conf. No.: 9199

Attorney Docket No: 12400-031

SUPPLEMENTAL REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

In response to the Final Office Action mailed October 14, 2008 and to the Advisory Action mailed December 10, 2008, Applicants respectfully submits this paper comprising the following parts:

I. **Listing of Claims**, beginning on page 2;

II. **Remarks**, beginning on page 7.

Applicants note that the Transmittal to which this paper is attached includes a Certificate under 37 C.F.R §1.8; and a fee statement calculating any fee(s) presently due in connection with the filing of this paper, along with an authorization to charge any fee deficiency to Deposit Account No. 23-1925.